## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

KENNETH WILLIAMSON,	)	
	)	
Petitioner,	)	
	)	
V.	)	Case No. CIV-13-899-D
	)	
DAVID PARKER,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

## **ORDER**

Defendant, a state prisoner appearing pro se, has filed a request under 28 U.S.C. § 2253 for a certificate of appealability ("COA") to appeal the denial of his Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus Under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 [Doc. No. 32]. Defendant is entitled to a COA only upon making a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2); *Milton v. Miller*, 812 F.3d 1252, 1263 (10th Cir. 2016). Defendant can make such a showing by demonstrating that the issues he seeks to raise are debatable among jurists of reason or adequate to deserve further proceedings. *Id.*; *Slack v. McDaniel*, 529 U.S. 473, 483-84 (2000). Having reviewed the motion and the underlying record, the Court finds Defendant has not made this requisite showing. Accordingly, his request for a Certificate of Appealability is **DENIED**.

## IT IS SO ORDERED this 20th day of December, 2016.

TIMOTHY D. DEGIUSTI

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE